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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**IN THE PATENT APPLICATION OF:**

**APPLICANT : ROBERT C. HOLCOMB**

**APPL. NO. : 10/827,299 ART UNIT : 3728**

**FILED : April 20, 2004 EXAMINER : PATTERSON, M.**

**FOR : STOWABLE OVERSHOES HAVING TRACTION SOLES**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.